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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

FRANK-RAINER BOHM ET AL.

CASE NO: FA 1022 US NA

SERIAL NO: 09/913,999

GROUP ART UNIT: 1711

FILED: AUGUST 20, 2001

EXAMINER: M. BISSETT

FOR: COATING COMPOSITION FOR
METAL CONDUCTORS AND COATING
PROCESS INVOLVING THE USE
THEREOF

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO
FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED JUNE 24, 2004**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants herein respond to the Final Office Action mailed June 24, 2004. Applicant respectfully requests that the claim amendments Examiner Bissett suggested in the telephonic interview conducted October 26, 2004 (See the Statement of Interview attached hereto) be entered and the rejections the Examiner indicated would be overcome by such amendments be withdrawn. A Petition for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) and the requisite fee for a two-month extension of time accompany this response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.